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This paper has enlisted
with the government in the
war of America for the
period of the war.....

The second German air raid on
Paris was at a time when Secretary
Baker was supposed to be in the city.

British aviators have dropped a
ton of bombs on the Coblenz, capital
of the Rhine province of Prussia,
according to an official communica-
tion issued.

The President's wife is selecting
the names for the ships that are be-
ing constructed as one of the first
steps in winning the war. This task
will grow in importance with the
completion of construction of many
vessels now on the building ways.

Normal commercial traffic soon
will be handled by the railroads, Di-
rector General McAdoo said. He ap-
pointed a number of assistants to
John Skelton Williams, Director of
Finance and Purchases. Between \$1-
600,000,000 and \$2,000,000,000 will
be spent.

George Graves writes his father,
Palmer Graves, from Camp Taylor
that he has been made a "K. P."
Later he explained that "K. P."
meant that he had been put to work
with the "Kitchen Police" in an over-
alls uniform. But the bright side
is that he is at the starting point
of good eating in the kitchen.

The Huns a few nights ago made
an air raid on a hospital filled with
new-born babies. Fifty maternity
cases in a Nancy-hospital were re-
moved from the hospital by the
American Red Cross in quick time
after a recent air raid on Nancy.
One bomb dropped on the roof of the
maternity hospital, fell between two
occupied beds. It failed to explode.

The George Rogers Clark Centen-
nial editions of both the Courier-
Journal and Times were mammoth
affairs Tuesday of five sections filled
with all manner of special articles
of historical interest. It was a great
advertisement of Louisville and sur-
rounding territory. Some of the cop-
ies printed on calendared paper are
being sold as souvenirs at \$1 each.

The Mayfield Daily Times began
publication Monday as an afternoon
paper, giving Mayfield two after-
noon dailies. Bert S. Berry is editor
and publisher, and George Bingham
of Hogwallow fame is the city edi-
tor. The paper is a four-page six-
column sheet, using the International
News day service. Typographically
it is attractive and starts out
with liberal advertising patronage.

Air fighting is assuming tremen-
dous proportions. The Germans are
making raids almost every night.
They raided Paris on Friday and
again on Monday night, the last
time with 60 machines. On Tuesday
night they turned up with another
raid on London. The British on
the same night raided the town of
Coblenz in Prussia, but the allies do
not seem to be doing much raiding
in comparison with the Huns.

The death of Mrs. Lena Guilbert
Ford, the American woman, who
wrote "Keep the Home Fires Burn-
ing," one of the most popular march-
ing songs of the British army and her
crippled son Walter, was a pathetic
incident of the German air raid on
London. They died under the wreck-
age of their home. Mrs. Ford and
her son were in bed at the time
of the raid in adjoining rooms on
second floor of a four story house
in a long block of substantial brick
structures. The two upper floors of
the house were occupied by another
family, all of whom were killed.

CONSTIPATION

And Sour Stomach Caused This
Lady Much Suffering. Black-
Draught Relieved.

Meadowville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Pat-
rick, of this place, writes: "I was
very constipated. I had sour stomach
and was so uncomfortable. I went to
the doctor. He gave me some pills.
They weakened me and seemed to
tear up my digestion. They would
gripe me and afterwards it seemed
I was more constipated than before.
I heard of Black-Draught and de-
cided to try it. I found it just what I
needed. It was an easy laxative, and
not bad to swallow. My digestion soon
improved. I got well of the sour stom-
ach, my bowels soon seemed normal,
no more griping, and I would take a
dose now and then, and was in good
shape.
I cannot say too much for Black-
Draught for it is the finest laxative
one can use."
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bowel troubles. Easy to take, gentle
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bad after-effects. It has won the praise
of thousands of people who have used
it.

(Advertisement.)

KEED ON RAMPAGE.

In the three-hour speech in the
Senate, Senator Reed, of Missouri,
Democrat, renewed his attack on
Food Administrator Hoover, charging
that never in this country's his-
tory has there been such wasteful-
ness in the expenditure of money.
He demanded that a complete ac-
counting be made before another
dollar is appropriated.

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"Over the Top"

By An American Soldier
Who Went

ARTHUR GUY EMPEY
Machine Gunner Serving in France

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Fired by the news of the
sinking of the Lusitania by a German
submarine, Arthur Guy Empey, an Ameri-
can, leaves his office in Jersey City and
goes to England where he enlists in the
British army.

CHAPTER II—After a period of train-
ing, Empey volunteers for immediate ser-
vice and soon finds himself in rest billets
"somewhere in France," where he first
makes the acquaintance of the over-pres-
ent "cooties."

CHAPTER III—Empey attends his first
church services at the front while a Ger-
man Fokker circles over the congregation.

CHAPTER IV—Empey's command goes
into the front-line trenches and is under
fire for the first time.

CHAPTER V—Empey learns to adopt
the motto of the British Tommy, "If you
are going to get it, you'll get it, so never
worry."

CHAPTER VI—Black in rest billets, Em-
pey gets his first experience as a mess
orderly.

CHAPTER VII—Empey learns how the
British soldiers are fed.

CHAPTER VIII.

The Little Wooden Cross.

After remaining in rest billets for
eight days, we received the unwelcome
tidings that the next morning we would
"go in" to "take over." At six in the
morning our march started and, after
a long march down the dusty road, we
again arrived at reserve billets.

I was No. 1 in the leading set of
fours. The man on my left was named
"Pete Walling," a cheery sort of fel-
low. He laughed and joked all the
way on the march, buoying up my
drooping spirits. I could not figure out
anything attractive in again occupying
the front line, but Pete did not seem to
mind, said it was all in a lifetime. My
left heel was blistered from the rub-
bing of my heavy marching boot. Pete
noticed that I was limping and offered
to carry my rifle, but by this time I had
learned the ethics of the march in the
British army and courteously refused
his offer.

We had gotten half-way through the
communication trench, Pete in my im-
mediate rear. He had his hand on my
shoulder, as men in a communication
trench have to do to keep in touch with
each other. We had just climbed over
a bashed-in part of the trench when
in our rear a man tripped over a loose
signal wire, and let out an oath. As
usual, Pete rushed to his help. To
reach the fallen man he had to cross
this bashed-in part. A bullet cracked
in the air and I ducked. Then a moan
from the rear. My heart stood still.
I went back and Pete was lying on the
ground. By the aid of my flashlight
I saw that he had his hand pressed to
his right breast. The fingers were cov-
ered with blood. I flashed the light
on his face and in its glow a grayish-
blue color was stealing over his coun-
tenance. Pete looked up at me and
said: "Well, Yank, they've done me in.
I can feel myself going West." His
voice was getting fainter and I had to
kneel down to get his words. Then he
gave me a message to write home to
his mother and his sweetheart, and I,
like a great big boob, cried like a baby.
I was losing my first friend of the
trenches.

Word was passed to the rear for a
stretcher. He died before it arrived.
Two of us put the body on the
stretcher and carried it to the nearest
first-aid post, where the doctor took
an official record of Pete's name, num-
ber, rank and regiment from his iden-
tity disk, this to be used in the casu-
ality lists and notification to his
family.

We left Pete there, but it broke our
hearts to do so. The doctor informed
us that we could bury him the next
morning. That afternoon five of the
boys of our section, myself included,
went to the little ruined village in the
rear and from the deserted gardens of
the French chateaux gathered grass
and flowers. From these we made a
wreath.

While the boys were making this
wreath, I sat under a shot-scarred
apple tree and carved out the follow-
ing verses on a little wooden shield
which we nailed on Pete's cross.

True to his God; true to Britain,
Doing his duty to the last,
Just one more name to be written
On the Roll of Honor of heroes passed—

Passed to their God, enshrined in glory,
Entering life of eternal rest.
One more chapter in England's story
Of her sons doing their best.

Rest, you soldier, mate so true,
Never forgotten by us below;
Know that we are thinking of you,
Ere to our rest we are hidden to go.

Next morning the whole section went
over to say good-by to Pete, and laid
him away to rest.

After each one had a look at the face
of the dead, a corporal of the R. A.
M. C. sewed up the remains in a blan-
ket. Then placing two heavy ropes
across the stretcher (to be used in low-
ering the body into the grave), we lifted
Pete onto the stretcher, and reverently
covered him with a large union
jack, the flag he had died for.

The chaplain led the way, then came
the officers of the section, followed by
two of the men carrying a wreath. Im-
mediately after came poor Pete on the
flag-draped stretcher, carried by four
soldiers. I was one of the four. Be-
hind the stretcher, in column of fours,
came the remainder of the section.

To get to the cemetery, we had to
pass through the little shell-destroyed
village, where troops were hurrying
to and fro.

As the funeral procession passed
these troops came to the "attention"
and smartly saluted the dead.

How to Make Oatmeal Bread

Healthful to Eat—Saves the Wheat

1 cup flour
1 1/2 cups corn meal
1 teaspoon salt
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons sugar

1 cup cooked oatmeal or rolled
oats
2 tablespoons shortening
1 1/2 cups milk
No eggs

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Oranges, per dozen.....30c to 60c
Cooking apples, per peck.....60c
Onions, per pound.....8c
Navy beans, pound.....15c
Navy beans, pound.....15c
Black-eyed peas, pound.....15c

LONGEST LETTER ON RECORD ENROUTE TO LIEUTENANT.

(By International News Service.)
New Haven, Conn., March 12.—
First Lieutenant L. J. Maloney, of
this city, who is with the 102d U.
S. Infantry somewhere in France,
is due to receive soon the longest
letter ever sent to a soldier abroad.
Maloney complained in his letters
that his friends did not write him
and said he would like a "good long
letter from home." About 125 of
his friends combined to compose a
letter which is over one hundred
feet in length.

DOCTORS RAISE RATES.

The physicians of Pembroke have
made an increase in their charges
for professional services. In the city
the charge for a call on and after
March 1 is \$2.00. The charge for
visits in the country have been raised
proportionately.—Pembroke Journal.

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Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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and wishing for a nice set of china, but
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up the hill.

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